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Births.

ANDERSON.—June 15, at Constitution-road, Petersham, the wife of Mr. Anderson, of a son.

HEDDEMAN.—June 8, at Berribe, the wife of E. C. Hingeman, of a daughter.

GILLEY.—June 15, Edith Cottage, Wharf-road, Smalls Bay, Balmain, the wife of B. Colley, of a daughter.

CROUCH.—June 5, at her residence, May Cottage, Parramatta, the wife of a son, a daughter.

DEVEREN.—June 17, at St. Jude's Parsonage, Bownal, the wife of the Rev. J. W. Deveren, of a daughter.

DONALD.—June 15, at Paddington-street, Upper Paddington, the wife of Thos. Donald, coach-builder, North Shore, of a son, a daughter.

FRASER.—June 16, 1886, at her residence, Arrows, Watkin-street, Newtown, Syd., the wife of J. W. Fraser, of a son.

GILMAN.—June 15, at Bradley-street, Goulburn, the wife of Richard J. Gilman, of a daughter.

HILL.—June 15, at her residence, No. 8, Alva-terrace, Camden Town, Newss., the wife of R. A. Hill, of a son.

HINCHCLIFFE.—June 10, at Albermarle, North Kingston, the wife of John Hinckliffe, of a daughter.

HUTCHINSON.—June 17, his residence, Glebe-road, Glebe, the wife of W. L. Hutchinson, of a daughter.

JONES.—June 11, at her residence, Teasum, Lincoln-street, North Shore, Mrs. Harold E. Jopling, of a daughter.

KELNA.—At her residence, Clifton, the wife of P. J. Kenna, of a daughter.

KELLY.—June 16, at her residence, 1, Gray's Avenue, Newss., Lithgow, the wife of William Lawson, of a daughter.

MORRIS.—June 5, at her residence, Brown-street, Newcastle, the wife of a son, a son.

OTTAWA.—June 15, at her residence, Cleveland-street, Sydney, the wife of John Ottaway, of a daughter.

WHITE.—June 15, at her residence, Oxford-street, Paddington, the wife of John White, of a daughter.

WILLIAMS.—June 15, at her residence, Oxford-street, Norwood, the wife of W. G. Williams, of a son.

Marriages.

HERBERT & ROTHWELL.—May 29, the marriage of the son of the Rev. Mr. Herbert, William Graham Cameron third son of the late Thomas Cameron, to Mrs. Rothwell, third daughter of the late Richard Rothwell.

HARRIS.—PLUMPTREY.—May 29,—Irvine, at St. Peter's, Toowong, the Rev. Charles H. Harris, of Surry Hills, and granddaughter of the Hon. Dr. Charles Harris, of Chatswood.

KENT.—JEFFREY.—May 29,—Preston Congregational Church, the father of the bride, assisted by the father of the bridegroom, Harry Chambers, second son of the Rev. R. C. Kent, Allerton Park, Lancashire, to Mrs. Jeffreys, of Chelmsford.

PERRY & HOLDEN.—June 15, at the Pro-Cathedral, Newcastle, by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Newcastle, assisted by the Rev. Albert Maclean, of the "Faith," and the Rev. G. A. Anderson, of the "Institution," of Greenwich, third son of the late Captain S. P. Perry, R.N., to Jane Osborne, fourth daughter of Alfred Holden, Esq., of Finsbury, Liverpool, England.

EDWARD & GREGOR.—June 14, at the residence of the bride's parents, Hawthorn Hill, Coomabarun, by the Rev. Mr. Thorp, George Backwell, second son of the late Rev. W. H. McCoy, M.A., to Jessie Wallace, third daughter of Mr. August McGregor.

Deaths.

THOMAS & ROBINSON.—June 15, the youngest daughter of the late Thomas Archer and Sophia Robinson, of Burwood, aged 40 years.

SHARING.—June 15, at her residence, Australia, Vincentia, Newss., the wife of the late Mr. Edgar Sharpe, aged 60, sister of the late Mr. Edgar Sharpe, H.M.S.R., of Hobart, and granddaughter of the late Mr. Lutwidge of Parramatta, Tasmania, and who leaves a widow and three children.

THOMAS.—June 15, at her residence, 1, Gloucester-street, Sydney, the wife of John Thomas, deeply regretted.

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J. WEIR, Agent.

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SOPHIA ... 4050 July 3 AUSTRALIA ... 5856 Aug. 21
LUSITANIA ... 3822 July 10 ... 4698 Aug. 28

The above steamers are particularly recommended.

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The steamers are fitted with every improvement, and the latest contrivances to make the voyages as comfortable as possible.

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No appearance for a few weeks only of those most popular Actors,
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MAGGIE MOORE and J. C. WILLIAMSON,
who will have the honour of meeting their acquaintances with
the Sydney public in the popular drama,
STRUCK OIL.

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The joys and sorrows of honest, blundering, good-hearted John Stofel, and his merry daughter, Jessie, have provoked smiles and tears, and given healthy, innocent amusement to many hundreds throughout the English-speaking world. It was in these characters that the Williamson's first had the good fortune to win their way to the hearts of Australian theatregoers, and established a friendship from which the public, who have seen the play in its original form, and cemented, and, after an absence of upwards of two years, they will once more make their bow as John and Jessie Stofel.

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The initial performance of the Williamson Season, will be honoured by the patronage and presence of his Excellency the Right Honourable

BARON CARRINGTON,
P.C., G.C.M.G.

LADY CARRINGTON.

(SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 19, 1886,
(and for a limited number of nights)

STRUCK OIL

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THE PENNSYLVANIA DUTCHMAN,
With the following exceptionally excellent cast:
John Stofel (the Pennsylvania Dutchman) ... Mr. Williamson
Mrs. Stofel (his daughter) ... Miss Maggie Moore
Susan Stofel ... Miss Jenny Watt-Tanner
Eben Skinner (the Deacon) ... Mr. G. W. Anson
Baptist Flinn (afterwards Judge) ... Mr. Herbert Flinn
Dr. Peacock ... Mr. W. H. Gravenor
Corporal Sharp ... Mr. W. H. Gravenor
Captain Beeks ... Mr. L. L. Turner
Peter Bowley ... Mr. W. H. Gravenor
Sheriff ... Mr. J. C. Williamson
Billy Paterson (a young hoodlum) ... Master Gravenor.

During the action of the Drama will be introduced
a number of
FAVOURITE SONGS AND DANCES by MAGGIE MOORE.

The performance will conclude with the Internally Amusing
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THE CHINESE QUESTION.

Kitty McShane ... Miss Maggie Moore
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Alfred ... Mr. W. H. Gravenor
Mr. Freewill (philanthropist) ... Mr. J. W. Wiseman
Fred Contrast ... Mr. H. Carroll
Miss Freewill ... Miss M. A. McEvily
Holly ... Mr. J. W. Wiseman
Harry Seldon ... Mr. Lorimer

During the Farce, Songs, Dances, &c., Selections from
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TOMORROW—SUNDAY EVENING.
SIX FAVOURITE ARTISTS—READ THE NAMES.

1. Violin Solo—Lucerne, Berlin, etc. ... Mr. Rivers Allpress
2. Violin Solo—The Mountain Lass ... Mr. Rivers Allpress
3. Violin Solo—The Young Girl ... Miss Amy Blackie
4. Horn—“Jack’s Yarn” (London Light) ... Miss Amy Blackie
5. Recital—Over the Hill from the Poor-house ... Mr. E. C. Dunbar

6. Horn—“Jack’s Yarn” (London Light) ... Miss Amy Blackie
7. Violin Solo—“Morning’s Gathering” ... Mr. E. C. Dunbar

Accompanied by Mr. E. GEIKE.

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“PEEP-O’-DAY BOYS AND THE PENITENTS; or, THE
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Last appearance Harry Carroll, double-voiced vocalist.

COTTHIE’S in new Old Songs—“The Devil’s New Act,”
“The Devil’s New Act,” will show its town.

COTTHIE’S Funny Party—“By Request.” Harry
Carroll sings, “I dreamt my little boy of three.” Come early.

COTTHIE’S Songs and Dance, “Moonlight Revels,”
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COTTHIE’S Scrapping Farce, “Baby Elephant.”

Carl Hebe, the wonderful Contralto. To-night, 8 sharp.

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Mr. JOHN YOUNG, Master of Scottish Song, begs to announce
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TWA RAE SCOTCH NIGHTS,

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In the

PROTESTANT HALL, CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

WEDESDAY, JUNE 21, 1886.

2nd and 24th June.

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Miss CLARA HAMILTON and Mrs. INNES,
the favorite Scottish Vocalists
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As an able exponent of the national songs of Scotland, Mr.
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THE LARGEST CHORUS of LADY and GENTLEMEN AMATEURS heard for many years past.

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Operate and Original Choruses, by the
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Special Selections, Violin Symphonies, Piano Solos, Recitations, &c.

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There will be no Matinee on Monday 21st, the building being
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LAST WEEKS—LAST WEEKS.

Open daily, 1 p.m. and 7 p.m.

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an Industrial Exhibit, the site of the Japanese must necessarily
be a brief one, and although it

THE END OF SUCCESS.

THOUSANDS VISITING THE EXHIBITION DAILY,
he has determined upon making the price of

ADMISSION

ONE POUND.

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OF THEATRICAL and INDUSTRIAL INCONGRUITIES—

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On the 19th inst., the 10th Anniversary of the

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THE GIANT FAMILY.

CLARA, aged 12 years, 5 ft. 10 in. tall, 100 lbs.

TOBEY, aged 5 years, weighing 80 lbs.

ANNA, aged 4 years, weighing 54 lbs.

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FOR Positively 3 WEEKS ONLY. 3.

THE MAJERSON and WILSON BIRUO COMEDY COMPANY,
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First Production in Australia of a New Comedy, by
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G R A V E L—TENDER'S wanted, 25 or 50 loads Screened Ironstone GRAVEL for paths. Sample must be shown to the above Office. All communications private.

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H A R D W O O D, Tallow, or Black Butt.—TENDER'S for cargo required. Quantities and sizes. Merchant, Box 978, G. F. O.

I N THE ESTATE OF C. A. QUIN AND CO. THARGOMINDAH, A GENERAL STOREKEEPER.

IN LIQUIDATION.

TENDERS are invited and will be received by the under-signed up to the 30th June instant, at noon, for:

Drapery as per list \$75 12 5

Ironmongery as per list 23 2 0

Crockery as per list 52 5 0

Heddery as per list 87 3 9

Books, Stationery, &c., as per list 18 18 0

Patent Medicines and Drugs as per list 18 18 0

Stationery and Fancy Goods as per list 18 18 0

Fixtures, Fittings, Tools, &c., as per list 41 10 0

Book Debts as per list 182 14 10

All Books, Stationery, &c., Material, Waggon and Harness as per list 137 0 0

Business Premises, consisting of Store, Chemist shop, Cellar, Tanks, and half-acre of Land, Thargomindah, as per list 1521 0 0

S P O C K S H E E P—Tender's open at Messrs. Theophilus and Sons, 10, Pitt-street, Sydney. The price of Spock Sheep is \$10 per head, or 10/- per pound. Tenders must be accompanied by an undated cheque or bank draft to the value of 10/- per cent. on the value of tender, which will be returned immediately after June 30th if tender not accepted. A preference will be given to tenders from persons who have been going concern, and the highest tender will not necessarily be accepted. The business, which is well known throughout the colony, is offered for sale at a reasonable price. Persons of anyone looking out for a good concern which, with judicious care and attention, could easily be made to return its former standard of sound profit.

A. S. LESLIE, Trustee.

T H E ASSIGNED ESTATE OF CHARLES D. LOGAN, of Greenhill, Storkerup.

TENDERS are invited up to noon of WEDNESDAY, the 22nd June, for the STOCK-IN-TRADE of the above Estate, in one lot, viz.—

DRAPEY \$233 16 0

Matched Linen 41 2 0

Household Linen 41 2 0

Millinery and Fancy 160 3 0

Clothing and Costumes 42 9 0

Gloves 68 4 0

Underclothing and Baby Linen 20 2 0

Gumshades 7 5 0

£233 4 4

FANCY SHOP.

Fancy Goods 135 11 2

Gloves and Lamps 45 8 11

Medicines and Perfumery 30 7 7

Tobacco and Pipes 68 4 0

Gumshades 19 2 0

£109 2 7

Tenders to be accompanied with a deposit of 10 per cent. The stock is well assured, and in first-class condition, and may be viewed at the premises, and Tender Forms obtained, on application at the premises; or to

STARKET and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street.

T H E ASSIGNED ESTATE OF GREAESLEY KELLY and HARTLEY, of 121, Morehead-street, Redfern, Boot and Shoe Manufacturers.

TENDERS are invited up to noon of TUESDAY, the 22nd June, for the following in one lot, viz.—

Stock of Materials and Goods 203 9 6

Stocks, Tools, Rolling, Blocking, Cutting, and other Machines, Presses, &c. 250 6 0

Horse, Cart, Fittings 57 6

Tenders to be accompanied with a deposit of 10 per cent. The machinery is in first-class working order, and the trade records are also of the best kind, and can be viewed on the premises.

Stock Sheets can be seen and Tender Forms obtained on application to STARKET and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street.

M U N I C I P A L I T Y OF LEICHHARDT. DESIGNS and ESTIMATE OF COST are invited, and will be received up to the 25th instant, for the Removal of Buildings and Works, and the removal of twelve months, to whom tenders are to be addressed under cover not later than 7 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 22nd June, endorsed, "Tender for" as the case may be.

CECIL W. E. BEDFORD, Council Clerk.

Council Chambers, Leichhardt, June 17, 1886.

M U N I C I P A L I T Y D I S T R I C T O F Y A S S. NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received by the under-signed up to the 1st July for the Erection of Works for a Supply of Water for the Town of Yass.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Council. J. V. F. JENKINS, C.C.

Council-chambers, Yass, June 2, 1886.

R ANDWICK BOROUGH COUNCIL. Separate TENDERS are hereby invited for the Removal of Night Soil and Household Waste, for a period of twelve months, to whom tenders are to be addressed to the under-signed, at whose premises, or to whom particular apply to the same, at Darling-street, Pyrmont Bridge-road, Glebe.

CECIL W. E. BEDFORD, Council Clerk.

Town Hall, 15th June, 1886.

S Y D N E Y M ECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

TENDERS are invited for certain Painting, Whitewashing, &c., at the above-named institution.

Specifications to be seen, not later than 26th instant, endorsed "Tender for Painting, &c." HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

JUNE 18, 1886.

SEPARATE TENDERS required for Excavation, Cleaning, and Paving Work (labor only), of Store at Hurstville, J. Shaw, Hurstville Hotel, Hurstville. Close on Saturday, 20th instant.

S E C O N D-HAND TIMBER required and labour, floor S laid with same. 177A, Pitt-street, Rushcutters Bay.

T H E PREMIERE PROPERTY INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

TENDERS are invited up to WEDNESDAY, the 22nd instant, for the Excavation and Construction of a Tunnel, Culvert, and open drain to drain the Bolivar Lagoon, Bolivar Estate, West Maitland.

Tenders will be received for the work as a whole, or for labour or the Company to provide timber ready for setting.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Company's office, Blackstone-chambers, 17, O'Connell-street, Sydney, or at the office of Messrs. Neate and Wolff, 10, Pitt-street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. ROBERTS, Manager pro tem.

Sydney, 16th June, 1886.

Town Clerk's Office, Sydney.

TO CONTRACTORS, CARTERS, &c.

TENDERS will be received at the Office until 12 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, the 30th June, for—

1st. Cleaning the streets of the city.

2nd. Cleaning house rubble, and depositing it where required.

Particulars at the office of the City Surveyor. CHAS. H. WOOLCOCK, Town Clerk.

T O C O N T A C T O R S. TENDERS are invited for the whole of Plastering Trades in extra addition to a residence at Ashfield.

Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the under-signed, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before FRIDAY, 25th June, at 12 noon.

WILLIAM G. COWARD, Architect, Hatfield-chambers, 28, Hunter-street.

T O B U I L D E R S: TENDERS are invited for the Sanitization and Alteration of the Golden Age Hotel, George-street.

Plans, specifications, and particulars can be obtained at the office of the under-signed, to whom tenders are to be forwarded on or before the 25th instant.

BACKHOUSE and HASLAM, Architects and Sanitary Engineers, 217, George-street.

T E N D E R S: TENDERS are invited for Cleaning about 100 Acres of the Nichols' Estate, Gore Hill, North Willoughby. Specifications can be seen, and all information obtained, on application.

Tenders to be in by noon on SATURDAY, the 22nd June, 1886.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. M. GUNNELL, Esq., Market-street, Sydney.

Universal Lamp & TUBE BANK OF SYDNEY.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the erection and completion of BANKING PREMISES at REDFERN.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the Offices of the under-signed, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before MONDAY, the 1st July, 1886.

H. E. BLACKMAN, Architect, 373, George-street.

T O B U I L D E R S: TENDERS are invited up to the 24th instant for the Erection and Completion of two Houses in Trafalgar-street, Annandale. The works may be tendered for separately as under, 1st, Excavation, Paving, and Finishing Trades, 3rd. The whole in one sum. Plans and specifications can be seen on application at my offices, 171, York-street.

A. THORNLAW, Architect.

T O B U I L D E R S: TENDERS are invited for the Erection of four Shops, George-street, Haymarket. Plans and full particulars may be obtained at my office, where tenders must be delivered not later than 12 noon on the 2nd July next.

EVAN EVANS, Architect, King-street.

T O B U I L D E R S: TENDERS are invited for the Removal of Furniture, &c., at the office of the under-signed, to whom tenders are to be sent in, on or before Monday, the 25th June, 1886.

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Government Notices.

Department of Public Works, Sydney.

June 18, 1886.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

Tenders are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.

Tenders may be in attendance at the tenders are open, and the names of tenderers will be announced, if not before the due date of the Board have terminated.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly observed.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any other tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.

Supply and delivery in Newcastle of pipes for Supply Retention, Hunter River District, &c., Police Buildings, Cobargo, erection of Stables, &c., for the Royal Northern Railway, Iron Castings, Great Southern and Western Railways and Tramways.

Post Offices, &c., Post Boxes, Postage stamp, &c., Postage, &c., of one 25c. Post Unit.

Despatch Service.

Navigation of the Port with approach roads, at Head Shire Bay, Bermagui.

Construction of "Spit," Middle Harbour.

Wharves, Warehouses and Woolsheds, Wells on ground to Coonabarabran.

Mills, New Lockups, Tarsals.

Hospitals for Insane, Gledhillville Hospital, Hospital for Insane, Gledhillville Hospital, Hospital for Insane, Gledhillville Hospital.

Erection of Police Station Buildings, Gledhillville.

Post Offices, Narrabeen.

Post Office, Cooberup.

Courthouse, Morphett.

Police Building, &c., Police Buildings.

Section of Post and Telegraph Office, Wauchope.

Wauchope, &c., Police Quarters, Inverell.

W. J. LYNE,

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY, SYDNEY.

NOTICE TO PUBLISHERS IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

Many publishers having failed to comply with the provisions of section 5, & 6, of the Copyright Act, 1879, the Trustees of the Free Public Library, Sydney, have decided to take proceedings against all who may be in default on or after the 1st day of next.

By order of the Trustees.

R. C. WALKER,
Principal Librarian.

Sydney, 25th May, 1886.

(Extract from Copyright Act of 1879.)

A printed copy of the whole of each book shall be published in the colonies after the expiration of this Act, and with maps, prints, or other engravings belonging thereto, finished and coloured, in the same manner as the best copies of the same shall be published with any additions or alterations, whether the same shall be letterpress or in the form of a map, or other engravings belonging thereto, published before or after the passing of this Act, and also of any second or subsequent edition of such work, shall not have been given to the use of the Free Public Library, and the Library of the University of Sydney, bound, sewed, or stitched together, except the best paper, and the best thread, and within two months after the day on which any such book shall first be sold, published, or offered for sale within the colonies, or on behalf of or by the publisher thereof in the colonies.

Every copy of a book which under the provisions of this Act ought to be delivered to the colonial shall be delivered to the library, within the hour of receipt, and for the aforesaid to one of the officers of the said library, or to some person duly authorized to receive the same, and such other person may receive the same, and give it to the said library, and for the same, and such delivery shall be sufficient to entitle the publisher to the same, and the same may be published with any additions or alterations, whether the same shall be letterpress or in the form of a map, or other engravings belonging thereto, published before or after the passing of this Act, and also of any second or subsequent edition of such work, shall not have been given to the use of the Free Public Library, and the Library of the University of Sydney, bound, sewed, or stitched together, except the best paper, and the best thread, and within two months after the day on which any such book shall first be sold, published, or offered for sale within the colonies, or on behalf of or by the publisher thereof in the colonies.

The expenses of carriage, registration, and brokerage will be defrayed by the publisher.

Department of Fisheries, Sydney, 1st June, 1886.

SALE OF LEASES FOR OVER SEAS CULTURE, NORTH AHN, PORT STEPHENS.

It is hereby notified, for public information, that, in pursuance of the "Over Seas Fishers Act, 1884," leases for the culture of the parts of the Crown Lands heretofore described will be offered for sale by public auction at the Courts, Newcastle, at 12 o'clock noon, on THURSDAY, 1st July, 1886.

The purchaser will be required to pay down at the time of sale a sum equivalent to the annual rent of the lease, and to be computed from the date of sale to the first month's rental.

The lessee will be entitled to pay down at the first month's rental, showing the position of these leases, may be informed of this Department, and on application to the Assistant Commissioner of Fisheries, Sydney.

LINDNAY THOMPSON,
Chief Inspector of Fisheries.

APPLICATION.

To Brokers for the Cammaray Estate Land Company, Limited.

CAPITAL. \$45,000.

Sir—I hereby request that you will allot me shares in the above Company, and now enclose 2s per share as deposit; and I hereby undertake to accept the above shares or any portion thereof that may be allotted to me, and to sign the Deed of Settlement when the same is to be signed.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1886.

Name in full.

Occupation.

Intending Shareholders will please cut out and forward to the Office of the Company, 25, Sydney Arcade.

Forms of application for shares will be supplied upon written application at the Temporary Offices of the Company, 25, Sydney Arcade.

THE FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

Received from \$45,000.

Sir—I am a member of the above Company, and the sum of shares in the above Company.

being 2s 6d per share on

Brokers to the Company.

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PORT STEPHENS OYSTER COMPANY (Limited).

To be Registered under 37 Vict. No. 10.

CAPITAL \$15,500 (with power to increase) in 15,500 Shares of \$1 each.

Proposed first issue of 4000 Shares as Promoter's Shares of 2s 6d paid up, of which 2s 6d is payable on application, and 2s 6d on allotment.

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J. C. Walker, Esq., Elizabeth-street.

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C. J. Muston, Esq., Alcock, Port Stephens.

BANKERS:

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CONTINENTAL GOSSIP.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT "STELLA.")

PARIS, APRIL 30.

Paris has not for many a day been so full of English visitors as it has been during the Easter holidays now ended. The greater part of this influx of visitors limits its visitation to Paris itself, seeing its lions, crowding the popular theatres, making numerous purchases, and re-crossing the Channel after a busy and "amusing" week; but a good many have gone over to other parts of France, and even to the East, under the auspices of the clever and successful tourist agents, Messrs. Cook and Son, who have not only brought on more numerous parties for Paris than ever before, but sent hundreds to Italy, Belgium, Germany, Constantinople, Athens, the Holy Land, &c.

The arrival of the new Chinese embassy of 30 persons, of the Japanese Minister of Agriculture, and of various other notabilities, has shown that Paris is not altogether dependent on tourist agents for its quota of guests, although the terrible increase of crimes, and the promotion of criminals to places of honour, emolument, and power, is not calculated to add, in the long run, to the attractions of this city, which, however, is as busy with its annual dinners of clubs, guilds, societies, and cliques, its charity balls, concerts, and amateur theatricals, as though the horizon were clear instead of gloomy.

The author of the violent attack on the Jews by a Catholic writer, who, to prove the superiority of Christians over the ancient race from whom they borrow the Old Testament, advised the various Governments to seize the entire fortunes of the Jews, within their dominions, has brought severe reprobation on himself from the Ultramontane party to which he belongs, not for having written this violent incentive to "religious" massacres, spoliation, and general persecution, but because of the string of duals he has accepted with men whose names he has covered with abuse in his violent and incestuous pages. Curiously enough, duelling is expressly forbidden by the Church of Rome; and yet it is only in Catholic countries that the habits of duelling still prevail. In France, Spain, Italy, and Austria duels are of everyday occurrence, and are declared to be an inevitable concomitant of human society; while in Protestant England, Holland, and Switzerland they are very rare. They are unknown in Mohammedan countries, and are only regarded as necessary, right, and glorious among Catholics, whence it may be seen that the morals of Catholic countries are not always in harmony with the morals of their Church.

The passion for centennial celebrations seems to be on the increase. While awaiting the grandeur that are to celebrate the first centenary of the "Great Revolution," the pretty little town of Montdidier, in Picardy, is preparing to celebrate the centenary of the introduction into France of the potato, by the learned ex-chemist of the army, ex-prisoner of war, Parmentier, who obtained the authorisation of Louis XVI. to plant and cultivate the new tuber in the Plain of Sablon, just out of Paris. The populace, having got the idea that the new plant was a poison, destined to thin off the population by way of diminishing the popular distress, was excessively hostile to the new root. The young plants were watched for, and destroyed by gangs of ruffians; and it was only after immense labour and risk of personal danger from mobs that the brave and resolute importers of the precious vegetable succeeded in obtaining the crop from which the future supply of France and of Europe was begun. The King and Royal Family had a grand dinner for the first tasting of the new tuber, which they found to be excellent; and from the Court the use of the potato was adopted by the nobles, and from them gradually made its way among the people at large.

The beautiful little Corsican town of Calvi is also getting up an official celebration of the fourth centenary of the discovery of America by Columbus, whom the world has hitherto been taught to regard as a Genoese, but whom a Corsican archaeologist, the Abbé Casanova, has just discovered to have been born in that town, which has accordingly decided to claim him as her son on the 23rd of next month by placing a commemorative inscription on the front of the house in which the Abbé, by searching the local archives, has ascertained that the great discoverer was born. Not only the Prefect has decided to patronise the fête that is to take place in honour of this event, but M. Grévy, having studied the documents on which the Abbé grounds his claim, has fully established his case, and has officially authorised Calvi to celebrate, as an official holiday, the 400th return of the great navigator's birth. The family of Columbus, it appears from the narrative of the Abbé Casanova, emigrated to Genoa, as that of Napoleon emigrated to France.

The Easter Gingerbread Fair, which begins on Easter Monday and lasts for three weeks, is just now in its glory. The central point of this curious and popular fair is the Place de la Nation, which is gaily decorated, surrounded with booths showing all the colours of the rainbow, and displaying all the various compositions made with rye flour and honey (not an atom of spice being employed in any of them); and in close proximity to these brilliant booths are menageries, theatres, dancing-booths, and all manner of shows and attractions. From this centre the stalls and booths extend along all the great thoroughfares that open out of it—Avenue de Vendôme, Boulevard Voltaire, Faubourg St. Antoine, &c. And all this extensive region is lined with what is called "Spice bread" and crowded with strollers and buyers. Nearly all the children of Paris are taken to this fair by their parents, whole families enjoying the spectacle, and indulging in the favourite style of sweets so generally popular in this country, and considered as one of the most wholesome things that children of all ages can eat.

The efforts so strenuously made by a portion of the French people to introduce the hideous amusement of bull-fights into this country have only succeeded in getting up those frightful and dangerous spectacles at Nîmes and in its immediate neighbourhood. Oddly enough, last Sunday's bull-fight came to grief both in Nîmes itself, and also at Saint Cesaire, a few miles from the romantic old town, so determinedly bent on disengaging itself by this importation of Spanish barbarism. The fall of barricades in Nîmes threw to the ground some 30 spectators, all of whom were injured, and some of them seriously. At St. Cesaire, a part of the circus fell to the ground, injuring five of the spectators very seriously, and some 25 others receiving hurts of more or less gravity.

A recent census shows that there were no less than 69,868 dogs accounted for in Paris, besides 5060 stray dogs picked up by the police, 4000 of these being destroyed, 190 returned to their owners, and 844 given up to the revivisitors, who are now proudly calling the success of Pasteur's experiments in the face of those who condemn the infliction of such terrible suffering on the brute creation. During last year 518 cases of rabies occurred in this city, viz., 503 dogs, 13 cats, 2 horses. This dreadful disease, like the tendency to violence of every kind among the human population of this country, is rapidly increasing. The cases of rabies in 1884 were only 301: the increase of acts of violence is even more marked, and, as remarked in former letters, women and schoolboys are coming to the front with swords and rifles.

A new candidate for the investigation of inquiries has just appeared here in the person of M. Bautista de Kots, who styles himself an "Illusionist" and has profoundly astonished all who have seen his feats. He exhibits an "automatic hand," which draws on a sheet of paper the portrait asked for by one spectator, and gives, by rays, the thought framed mentally by another. He places a copy of the Times (or any large journal) on the stage, places a chair on the paper, sets his graceful and pretty wife (beautifully dressed) on the chair, covers lady and chair with a sort of bag of silk; and then, a moment afterwards, lifts up this silk, and shows the chair to be void of its occupant! He says, "This is science; what I do is to create, scientifically, illusions in the minds of those in whose presence I operate." Those who have seen him operate in a room in which he could have made no noise, the floor was intact, and saw that the newspaper bore the marks of the four feet of the chair, and had not been moved, declared audibly, "That if it were not magic, they could not imagine what it could be."

The "Mammoth Tower," invented by M. Eiffel for the Exhibition of 1889, has been adopted by the Minister of Commerce. It is to rest on four arched bases, as high as the towers of Notre Dame, and to rise 984 feet from the ground, with a per-

son on its summit to contain an electric light which, if the roundness of the earth's surface did not hinder, would be distinctly visible at Dijon or Calais! Visitors are to be taken up by a lift. On a fine day the view from the top, and even from the glazed gallery round the first storey (235 feet from the ground) would well repay the journey to Paris. This enormous metallic construction, which will weigh six million kilogrammes, and cost about £20,000, is to be kept permanently for various scientific observations—meteorological, astronomic—for the study of the rotatory movement of the earth, &c.

The "DAILY NEWS" on the EXHIBITION.

We take the following from a leading article in the *Daily News* of May 4, the day on which the Colonial and Indian Exhibition was opened by South Kensington:

"The British public has had no demand, owing to some couplet which deserves notice. Now that the theory of spontaneous generation has been in a measure disproved, it is certain that insects, like mammals, have parental ties. So have birds, fish, and reptiles. There is no reason, therefore, why a male blue-bottle, sparrow, herring, or saurian, should not be designated 'sire.' Mr. Sladen, however, is, we think, the first who tells us in the preface that he has made 'copious eliminations and many hundreds of emendations,' while many of the pieces 'have been almost rewritten, as the reader will find who compares this with the previous edition.' Whether any readers are at present alive and well who have preserved their copies of the first issue is a question on which it would be unwise to offer a decided opinion. The best physiologists are frequently astonished at the number of various persons at least before reason finally tells us. Over the eliminations, too, there will, no doubt, be a diversity of views. By some they will be thought too copious, while a few will probably be found to regret that they did not chiefly consist of stout brown paper, cut to the required size, and pasted over many pages. Johnson says in his 'Lives of the Poets' that 'Paradise Lost' is one of the books which the reader 'lays down and forgets to take up again.' Such cannot be said of the poems before us. With them the difficulty is not in taking them up, but in laying them down. Once taken in hand, their peculiarities not only allure but command attention. The reader soon discovers that poetry like humour is many-sided, and that in his hand he holds a book which presents a side with which he was previously unacquainted. But it is time to look at random a few excepts illustrative of Mr. Sladen's subjects and method of treatment. This, perhaps, is the proper place to remark that in one of his lyrics the author opines that—

"Nothing is too humble or too low
For the poet's lips to sing of, unless Sin has made it so."

It is but fair to say that he loyally acts up to this conviction, and as a consequence his muse lets slip few opportunities for song. With a versatility as comprehensive as it is rare, he sings now of a thunderstorm among the Blue Mountains, now of a giant gum-tree, and the opening of a new railway station. There are even sonnets to "Paramatta," "Fitzgerald's Creek," and "The Western Zigzag." How "Woolloomooloo," "Padgett," and "Cockatoo Island" were passed over it is difficult to say. They are certainly not devoid of poetical associations. The tramcars, too, and the odd habit they have of running off the line at the most inconvenient places, have been left unnoticed. Sunrise, however, short-horned cattle and merino sheep, receive considerable attention, and suggest metrical imagery, partly retrospective and partly bucolic. But let Mr. Sladen speak for himself. In the ode "To Australia" we find the following:—

"Your future and your greatness are still within the womb."

White in awe-struck expectation of which is the come, The worn old earth is waiting with anxious eye to see What the carpet and founts of the last born will be."

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"While on the native grasses of your far-stretching north The short-horned steers of Durham maintain their ancient worth."

To where the pure marino, of royal Saxon birth, French noble and herald, crops close the fertile earth."

"Your sons might not pass muster in Bond-street or Pall Mall."

But when bush fires are raging they go to face the hell. And no dot from Newfoundland, with more unblushing cheek.

To see even beasts, would venture to stem a winter creek."

It is pleasant to be told that the "worn-out" earth is tremblingly watching the growth of the young Australian Hercules, but truth compels us to say that she sometimes adopts a curious method of showing her solicitude. Earth's nations are too much engaged in the struggle for existence, and in watching their neighbours, to care what our "carnal and fortune" may be. The scattered parts of the Empire is the cultivation of the mind, of the creation of habit of feeling and thinking, of the education of the heart, of the moral unity that produces the political and commercial unity must grow.

"It is as a means of promoting this feeling that the Colonial and Indian Exhibition will have its greatest use. It comes, as we have already said, at a fortunate moment."

"The world is stirred up by a sense of common brotherhood with ideas of the greatness of the Empire, of the value of union between its scattered parts. There is a general desire, at home and in the colonies, to consolidate the Imperial fabric. The movement for Imperial Federation, to which the late Mr. Forster had devoted much time in the Colonies, has given a new and powerful stimulus to the cause."

"The Irish controversy has quickened into definite desire a feeling which previously existed only as a vague impression. The hope is spreading that some way may be found of federating the Empire and representing the whole of its parts and peoples in the Imperial Parliament. The English demand has not done much to stimulate this feeling. When the Australian boatmen went to the Nile, and the Australian Contingent sailed for the Soudan, they did even more than in their patriotic thoughts. They not only showed the good-will of the Colonial Governments, and suggested new forms of government to jealous England, but they touched the hearts of Englishmen. From that time the English in our Colonial Empire has grown rapidly. A new sense of partnership with our fellow-citizens in Australasia, in Canada, in South Africa, and elsewhere has made it apparent. 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The interest which still attaches to the name of Beau Brummell is one of the remarkable facts in literary history. Forty-six years have passed away since he died in a madhouse at Caen, neglected and forgotten by all the gay associates of his early years, dependent on the charity of strangers for his daily bread. He left very little behind him, beyond the memory of his unapproachable cravat and a few witcusses at the expense of his friends, that is at all likely to attract the curiosity of mankind; and yet he has not only found a biographer, but the biography itself seems to have taken permanent place in our literature. The first edition of Captain Jess's "Life of George Brummell, Esq., commonly called Beau Brummell," was published in 1844—a few years after the Beau's death; and a new edition, in two large volumes—"revised and annotated from the author's own interleaved copy, with 40 portraits in colour of Brummell and his contemporaries"—has recently been issued. The original edition, we are told in the preface, has been a success book for a long time. The present one contains a large quantity of new matter, which had been collected by the author, but was left unpublished by him because "it was not deemed prudent or delicate" to insert it in former editions. The notes contain a good deal of information on subjects touched upon in the text; but the coloured portraits—except in the case of Charles James Fox—appear to be rather fanciful than exact. A book on Beau Brummell, however well or carefully written, can hardly pretend to be a model of historical accuracy in any shape. Most readers will probably be satisfied if they are amused by such a work; but it may honestly be said that something more than amusement may be got out of Captain Jess's book. It is not only full of anecdotes, but it sketches the distinguished men and women among whom the Beau was a central figure abound in interest; and there is no doubt a certain measure of historic value about it as a picture of men and manners in the early years of the century.

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THE AGAMEMNON.

BY A PHILISTINE.

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THE MAYOR'S BANQUET.

The arrangements for the banquet which is to be given by the Mayor of Sydney on Monday evening, in honour of the entrance of Her Majesty the Queen upon the fifth year of her reign, are being proceeded with, and will be on an unusual scale of magnificence. The vestibule of the Town Hall, in which the event is to take place is occupied by a number of men who are decorating it with a variety of artificial flowers. The hall is to be decorated with the southern end, on which are to be placed various plants and flowers, and which will be used for the accommodation of musicians and vocalists who will respectively play and sing at the banquet proceeds. At the northern end a smaller platform is also being erected on which a band of musicians will be placed. The Mayor's garter and the vestibule of the Queen which adorns the vestibule has been removed to a fresh position, and is to be embossed in evergreens, and generally throughout the hall. The Mayor will exhibit his admiration for flowers by having an abundance of them displayed in every portion of the hall. In addition the hall will be decorated by means of the splendid chandelier suspended from the roof, the hall will be lighted with innumerable electric lamps running in lines all round the walls, and similar lamps will also be used for lighting the entrance to the hall and the staircase. His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales will be the chief guest, and will place himself in an ante-room where their strains may be heard to the best advantage, and he has also enlisted the services of some of the best vocalists of the city, who are to sing from the northern gallery. The invitation cards which his Worship has issued are of a highly artistic character, of a form and colour harmonious with all the rest, for the purpose of producing a perfectly elegant and refined effect.

Good taste in dress combined with perfect elegance of manners and a fancy for such conversation as society loves to hear, appear to have been the main elements of the Beau's success when he entered the fashionable world of London as the favourite of the Prince of Wales. His dress was shown to advantage on a figure which, according to Jess, might have enabled him to earn a living as an artist's model, although he had to depend largely on his wit and address. The card which he sent to the Queen, which is also very handsome, was a masterpiece of art, and was very easily to be copied. The Queen's name is bold, and the words "The Queen's Birthday" are in a very artistic and forcible hand. The card was carried off in a ridiculous extreme. Brummell had evidently sought to catch him at it on one occasion at Calais, and records the details of the event with as much interest as an astronomer might show in describing the movements of a heavenly body.

Brummell's distinction in dress was not acquired by lavish expenditure; it was the result of good taste; from which we might infer that good taste was a rare thing in his day. Lord Byron—who set on one occasion that there were three men of genius in his day, Ben Jonson, Napoleon, and himself—described him as being like a knight errant in his attire. The Beau, as having nothing remarkable in his style of dress except a certain historical weight about it. He was the last of a line of beau who distinguished different periods since the Restoration—an era from which may be dated the habits of extreme luxury and extravagance in dress and everything else which characterised the world of fashion during the last century. The first and best looking of the beau was Beau Fielding—the Orlando of "Tatler," one of whose wives was Mrs. Dene Swift. His was succeeded by Isaac D'Israeli, who was described in the "Tatler" as "a very handsome well-dressed youth, that frequents the coffee-houses and Charing Cross, and has a very pretty white ribbon with a cross of jewels to his belt." Like Brummell, he died in a madhouse.

In one succession was Beau Nash, who was usually styled the "king of Bath," and whose life was written by Goldsmith, at the instance of a bookseller who paid him £15 for it. Nash appears to have exercised the rights of sovereignty with a finer hand than any of his predecessors. His face was rather long, and complexion fair; his whiskers inclined to sandy, and hair light brown. Hulse, the Court page, told me, "says Captain Jess, that his hair was thin and light, and that Robinson, his valet, turned it with the iron, when it looked very nice. His features were neither plain nor handsome, but he had a personal beauty to recommend him. His face was rather long, and complexion fair; his whiskers inclined to sandy, and hair light brown. Hulse, the Court page, told me, "says Captain Jess, that his hair was thin and light, and that Robinson, his valet, turned it with the iron, when it looked very nice. 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second time. On the motion that the resolution be sent to the House divided, and the motion was carried by 26 to 17.

Mr. TUCKER moved that the House would on Tuesday next resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider an address to the Governor, praying that his Excellency will be pleased to cause the necessary steps to be taken to make provision for the payment of a sum of money, not exceeding £3000, to compensate Captain Armstrong for all the consequences of his dismissal from his position of resident magistrate at Lord Howe's Island. He gave a history of the entry into Captain Armstrong's case, and contended that he was entitled to compensation for the injustice and injury he had suffered.

After some remarks from Messrs. DIBBLE and SAWERS, the debate, on the motion of Mr. LEVINE, was adjourned to the 15th August.

On the motion of Mr. ORWELL, a select committee was appointed to inquire into and report upon the conditional purchases made on the Peritoche run; and on the motion of Mr. O'LEARY, a select committee was appointed to investigate certain complaints in regard to unsavoury ships, &c.

The House, at 12 minutes to 11 o'clock, adjourned till Tuesday.

Sir JOHN ROBERTSON has written to the electors of Mudgee announcing his retirement from the Legislative Assembly. We have had so many retirements and re-appearances of public men, that an unavoidable feeling of suspicion is provoked by every fresh announcement of the kind. But on this occasion there seems no reason to doubt that the step taken represents a real determination. Sir JOHN ROBERTSON has been under medical treatment for many months past, and has been made to feel that unless nursing goes hand in hand with convalescence, there is small chance of recovery, and no man can nurse himself who has to stand night after night in the Legislative Assembly. Moreover, Sir JOHN is still the recognised leader of the Opposition, and that makes it obligatory on him to be present and advise his supporters. There are special party reasons at the present time why it would be inconvenient for him to retain his seat, and subsides into the position of a private member, and he recognises the fact that an absolute retirement will facilitate new political arrangements.

Sir JOHN ROBERTSON has been almost continuously a member of the Assembly for thirty years. He made his power felt from the very first speech he delivered, though at that time none foresaw the part he was to play.

Sir CHARLES COWPER was the first man who appreciated his political importance, and he learnt the lesson by suffering a defeat at his hands. He turned his conqueror into his colleague, and by so doing established an alliance that gave a firm political position to both. Sir JOHN ROBERTSON established his status from having clear and distinct views on the land question, and from having unbounded faith in them and in himself. At the time he came on to the scene there was a general feeling of discontent at the difficulty experienced by men of small means in securing freehold farms. But none of the then leading politicians seemed prepared with a remedy which should be adequate, and yet make as little disturbance as possible of existing arrangements. Amid so many uncertain men, Sir JOHN was the one man who was positive, and though he stood at first almost alone he made his personality triumphant. We do not say a word here on the merits or demerits of his scheme; we merely point out historically that he carried his point in virtue of his strong convictions and of his hitting the democratic temper of the time. He still further sustained his position by being not only a reformer, but an administrator. Many statesmen have designed reform bills, but left to others the difficulties of carrying them out. But Sir JOHN ROBERTSON faced all the difficulties of his own creation. The squatters were hostile to him, and the Government departments were certainly not friendly, but he showed firmness and official capacity, and he established his scheme in full working order before the turn of politics called upon him to make way for his successor.

Although land legislation has been his great work, and that by which he will be chiefly known in the history of the country, he has had his say on all the political questions which have been agitated in Parliament during the last thirty years, and in all of them he has stuck by the principles he has announced. His creed has always been a democratic one. From the first he was in favour of universal suffrage, equal electoral districts, vote by ballot, payment of members, one Legislative Chamber, undemocratic education, and free trade. He has not seen all his ideas carried out; but he has never been an impatient theorist, and has been content to accept the political combinations of the day, no matter how much he might differ from his colleagues on points that were not then to the front. He has been willing for any alliance that would serve the temporary purpose, and equally willing to disown it when some other question became of primary importance. The consequence has been that he has been associated with a greater variety of colleagues than any other public man, and has been united with men to whom he was formerly opposed, and opposed to men with whom he was formerly united. Thus, to mention only a few, he has been with and against Sir CHARLES COWPER, Sir JAMES MARTIN, Sir HENRY PARKER, and Sir ALEXANDER STUART; yet, during all the time he has never varied his political convictions, and never disguised them. His greatest defect as a leader of the house has been his want of dignity, and his greatest defect as an administrator the unsatisfactory character of some of his appointments. But all his faults have been forgiven him in virtue of his personal qualities. He is quite right in saying that he quits the House without any real enemy. It is, in fact, very remarkable that a man who has fought so hard and so long for thirty years, and who has inflicted defeat on so many capable men, should have aroused so little personal hostility. He has been a man at war from his youth, and has done his fighting *con amore*, and with no care as to where his blows fell, or how heavily. He has always hit out straight, and never spared anybody; and yet, with all that, he is the pet of the House—almost the spoiled child. This is because he has been hearty, good-humoured, free from malice, suspicious, and, above all, faithful to his friends. Indeed, a just critic will have to admit that he has carried this personal fidelity to an extreme, and has stood by his comrades when wrong at the risk of injuring the country. But where so many politicians are ready to drop a troublesome colleague simply to save themselves, there has been a disposition to admire the fidelity of a man who stuck to his

his comrades through thick and thin. One consequence of this has been, that even when most pressed by being politically in a false position, he has rarely had a difficulty in finding colleagues, and those whom he has attached to him as, a rule, been loyal. This has greatly strengthened his position as a public man, and helped him to fight stoutly even when the fates were against him.

If he should care to enter the Legislative Council, the position would, of course, be at his disposal. He has twice placed himself there, though the tranquil atmosphere is not suited to the tastes of a stormy-petrel. His retirement from the Assembly of course leaves the leadership of the Opposition to Sir HENRY PARKER; and even those who have a personal dislike to that gentleman must forgive recognise the situation. As a matter of fact, Sir JOHN's physical weakness, and his unwillingness to turn the present Government out, have made Sir HENRY PARKER the most formidable member of the Opposition. To all intents and purposes, he has been the real leader for weeks past; and if he is now formally recognised as such, it will not be a new arrangement, but merely making the real leader the titular one.

The bill authorising the expulsion of the French princes from their native country, which has just been passed by both Chambers of the French Legislature, is an act of pure despotism on the face of it; and yet it is not the decree of a despotic ruler, but of a Republican Government that may be said to have inherited the republican principles of liberty, fraternity, and equality. Circumstances might of course arise under which even a republican government would be justified in passing sentence of banishment on its most distinguished subjects. A conspiracy to overthrow the Government, either by secret agitation, or by a traitorous correspondence with its enemies abroad, or by any other act that might be fairly construed into evidence of treason towards the State, would more than justify such a sentence. But even in such aggravated cases as these, there are certain preliminaries to be gone through before the final sentence can be rightfully passed. Indictment, trial, and conviction—according to the laws of civilised nations—are necessary formalities in all cases when criminals are to be dealt with. There is no exception in the case of political offenders, unless it be that these requirements of the law are carried out with more than usual regard to ceremony. GUINETTE was not hanged until he had been allowed every possible latitude in the shape of self-evidence. The most impressive trials in English history, known to the general reader as the State Trials, are remarkable proofs that even in the days of absolute monarchy, when judges were subservient to the Crown and juries were not always independent, political offenders were dealt with according to the forms and usages of the law.

But no ceremony has been observed in the case of the French Prince. No charge has been formulated against them in the criminal courts of their country; they have not been heard in their own defence, and there is absolutely nothing to show the outside world either the nature or the extent of their offences. The process adopted in their case was confined to a bill introduced by the Government and passed through both Chambers as readily as if it were a matter of ordinary legislation. There is no essential difference between such a process and the decree of exile to Siberia pronounced by a Russian Czar. The right to be tried by one's peers is equally ignored in both cases. The Russian process, indeed, has an advantage, because it is at least consonant with the usual administration of affairs under a despotism. But the Republican Government of France is supposed to represent the virtues of democracy in full bloom. It is the latest development of democratic principle in a country which might be said to have given birth to democracy. How is it possible, then, to reconcile such an invasion of the rights of citizens in the persons of the French Princes as that of banishment without trial, with a system of government based on the democratic vote? To some extent the paradox might be explained by a reference to De Tocqueville. He pointed out that equality and not liberty is the root of French democracy. "Egalité" is an expression of envy. It means the real heart of every Republican, "No one shall be better off than I am"; and while this is preferred to good government, good government is impossible. The object of the Republicans is, as they admit, *égalité*; but as for liberty, or security, or education, or the other ends of government, we cannot always trust to their having sensible subordinates.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The announcement of the resignation of Sir John Robertson as one of the members for Mudgee in the Legislative Assembly was made by the Speaker soon after the House met yesterday, and Sir Patrick Jennings thereupon moved that the hon. gentleman's letter intimating his retirement should be entered upon the records of the House. In doing so he expressed his great regret that Sir John Robertson had thought it necessary to relinquish his position as a member of the Assembly, in which he had served the country so long, so well, and so faithfully. He added, amid cheers from both sides of the House, that there was no gentleman who had been in the public life of the country so long, or who possessed in a greater degree the esteem and confidence of the whole colony, than the hon. gentleman, and his absence from the councils of the Chamber, and the country would be felt for many a day.

Sir JOHN ROBERTSON has not destroyed the power of oppression exercised by the bureaucracy, which seems to be as inveterate under a Republic as it was in the worst days of the Empire, and which is actually embedded in the legislation of the country. A well-known clause in the Code Napoleon exempts every member of the bureaucracy from the process of the Courts, except by permission of the Council of State; the practical result being that there is no means of obtaining redress for any wrong done by a member of the privileged order. That is simply the recognition of a class privilege—an official right to do wrong—which justifies itself in the eyes of Frenchmen as indispensable to good government, and which is maintained as rigidly under the eyes of the democracy as it was in the days of the First Empire. Concurrently with the expulsion of the French Prince, the proceedings of the now notorious labour organisation in the United States have furnished the world with illustrations of the fatal defect in democratic government. According to our New York correspondent, two weapons of which the Knights of Labour avail themselves in order to carry on their war against capital are illegal violence and the boycott. The incidents of this warfare, as related by our correspondent, enable the distant spectator to realise the horrors of mob-rule, even in a country which presents the best form of republican government yet discovered. Outrages by the hundred

we are told, were reported daily during the strike, the victims being the unfortunate men and women who either refused to join the union, or took the places of men who had. In one of the car strikes, for instance, the men who ventured to take work abandoned by the strikers were forced to eat their meals and sleep at the company's depot, knowing that their very lives were in danger; and one of them who foolishly ventured into a saloon close by was almost beaten to death. On another occasion a car was attacked in broad daylight, and the non-union driver and conductors dragged off the platform and brutally maltreated. The boycott principle was applied in the case of two women who kept bakeshops in New York city, both of whom had refused to employ union bakers. Facts of this kind speak plainly enough for themselves. But if there is one thing which more than another might be inferred from them, it is that respect for individual rights is not a cardinal feature of democratic government.

So long as Sir HENRY PARKER was not ready to admit his proclivities towards protection in 1869, it was right enough to twist him with inconstancy when he was advocating free trade. But ever since he has frankly confessed that he made a mistake there is neither generosity nor worthy criticism in perpetually reminding him of it, and Mr. WILLIAMSON, by trying to revive the accusation once more, only showed that he had no better argument to use. Ever since the visit to England, during which Sir HENRY PARKER met Mr. Cosmo, he has been a consistent supporter of free trade in office and out of it. It was not he who proposed ad valorem duties, but it was during his administration that they were abolished. He has never argued in favour of them, and to try to damage his present position by charging him with inconsistency is childish. The ground that he is taking now is ground that he can occupy with firmness, and without exposing himself to any attack of importance. On this matter it cannot be said that he is a time-server. He has no personal interest whatever to serve, and no mercantile profit to make. His political record is so far quite clean, and none the less because he frankly admits that he made one mistake. Mr. O'SULLIVAN's prophecy that as soon as protection becomes popular Sir HENRY PARKER will turn round and advocate it, only shows that that gentleman does not understand him, and that he does not understand manners. Sir HENRY PARKER has doubtless many things to say for, but he need not trouble himself any more about his record, for he has been given a safe haven by his frank admission of his mistake.

YESTERDAY morning the Hon. W. J. LYNE, Minister for Works, accompanied by Messrs. IVES, BULL, and PARKER, M.L.A., and several other gentlemen, proceeded on a tour of inspection from North Shore along the route of the proposed railway, to Pierces Corner, Hornsby. The party reached Parramatta in the evening. An account of the trip will be found in another column.

An influential deputation, consisting of pastoral leases, waited upon the Minister for Lands yesterday, and made various recommendations in regard to the amendment of the Land Act. Mr. Copeland informed the deputation of certain provisions which he had already drafted for the amendment of the Land Act, and expressed his entire disapproval of some of the suggestions which had been brought forward.

YESTERDAY morning, in the Banco Court, before his Honor Justice WINDLE, the case of Singleton v. SLATER (the upholstering dispute) ended in a verdict for the plaintiff, with £100 damages. Two undefended cases were disposed of, and in one, in which the defendant appeared in person, a verdict was directed for the plaintiff. In the Jury Court the whole day was occupied with the part-heard case of Fisher v. COONAN, an action for negligence against an attorney. Counsel addressed the jury for their respective clients. His Honor, Sir George INNES, will sum up on Monday morning. His Honor the Chief Justice presided at Daringhurst. CLISSOLD v. EGERTON ended in a verdict for the defendant. Stephen V. Baylis was an action by the official assignee of Carter's Estate for money due, and a verdict for the plaintiff was returned. In *Hause v. 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H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES. has sent a message of sympathy to the widow and family of the late Sir Alexander Stuart.

NEW SOUTH WALES AT THE EXHIBITION.
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Sir Saul Samuel and Sir Daniel Cooper have been asked to take charge of the New South Wales Court at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition.

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The statement that Dr. Thompson, of Cardiff, was likely to be appointed to the vacant bishopric of Melbourne, in succession to Dr. Moorhouse, is without foundation.

JUNE 18.
Archdeacon Blunt, of Scarborough, was offered the vacant See of Melbourne, but he has declined to accept it.

AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND FRUIT.
LONDON, JUNE 17.

It is stated that the shipment of Australian fruit received by the Orient steamer Iberia is frostbitten, and that a claim for damages will be made against the Orient Company.

The fruit received from New Zealand by the steamship Rimutaka was landed in a damaged condition, owing to the imperfect method of packing.

FROZEN MEAT TRADE.
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The frozen meat, ex Orient steamer Iberia, has been cleared at an average price of £5d. per lb. The cargo of New Zealand frozen mutton, ex New Zealand Shipping Co.'s steamer Rimutaka, has realised 5d. per lb.

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COMMERCIAL.
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The *Morning Post* says that M. de Freycinet now declares that the French war vessel Dives was not ordered to hoist the French flag on the islands of the New Hebrides.

The Times publishes the despatch of Sir Andrew Clarke, late Acting Agent-General for Victoria, on the New Hebrides question. It declares that if the French flag is hoisted on the islands it would be absolutely contrary to a plain and specific engagement between England and France, and dishonourable to the latter.

The London Standard asserts that if France has annexed the New Hebrides, the Earl of Rosebery must demand reparation, as it would be better to quarrel with France than with the Australian colonies.

The Pall Mall Gazette considers that Lord Lyons, British Ambassador at Paris, should demand his passport from the French Government if the French flag be retained on the islands of the New Hebrides.

Mr. Berry has drawn up a despatch in which he declares that unless the alleged massacre of French traders in the New Hebrides are satisfactorily proved, the occupation of the islands by French troops should at once cease. He also considers that if the natives in the New Hebrides are dangerous, England should similarly occupy the islands.

Since the receipt of the details of the reported annexation of the New Hebrides by the French, Mr. Berry has protested to Earl Granville against what he regards as a flagrant breach of the agreement between Great Britain and France as to the neutrality of the islands. Mr. Berry considers that prompt action on the part of the British Government will alone prevent the annexation of the islands by France.

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The news received from Melbourne announces the landing of the troops and the hoisting of the flag created much excitement among the Australian colonists resident in London.

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THE WOOL TRADE.

During the week the welcome news has been received of the satisfactory opening of the third series of London wool sales for the year. The improved demand in the period between the second and third series of sales and the advance in price at the Antwerp sales have led to anticipations of a good market. The sales have been well received. Our own telegrams, and those furnished to us by leading firms engaged in the business, fully concur in the statement that there was a large attendance of English, European, and American buyers, and that there was active competition throughout, with the result that prices have advanced, and with the result that the range of the sales from 6 to 15 per cent. for crossbreds. This was the purport of our own telegrams, and it will be seen is confirmed by the following cablegrams which have been handed to us:-

By the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited.—The sales opened with spirit on the 16th instant, and the closing of the first series of sales, 140,000 lb. of mutton and lamb being sold to foreign buyers.

By Messrs. G. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited.—The attendance of both home and foreign buyers is good, and competition active, foreign buyers especially operating with great confidence.

The opening catalogue contained 1300 lots.

The sales comprise above 326,000 bales. About 27,000 bales have been sent to the manufacturing districts direct.

By John Sanderson and Co., from Messrs. Sanderson, Murray, and Co.—London, June 16. Home buyers are operating very freely. Foreign buyers are the principal buyers, and are buying freely. Merino has advanced 20 per cent.; fine crossbred advanced 10 per cent. Coarse crossbred market firm.

By Messrs. E. Colledge and Co., Limited.—London sales continue animated; good grey and coarse advanced 10 to 24; good crossbred 10; inferior crossbred market firm.

By Messrs. Dalgety and Co., Limited.—The sales progress with good animation and fairly representative catalogues. Competition is very strong. In addition to German and French demand, some speculative purchases are being made, and America is well in the market for mutton and crossbreds. We quoted the rates as follows:- Merino, fine and superior, 10 to 15 per cent.; fine crossbreds, 15 per cent.; coarser grades, 5 to 10 per cent., demand for this class being still irregular; fleecewashed merino, 20 per cent.; secured, good to superior, 20 to 25 per cent.; average and inferior, 10 to 20 per cent. The tailor marked has been well received, and the sales are progressing well to good mutton, 25%; average (Sydney) lamb, 23%; inferior mixed, 21% per ton, cost, freight, insurance, par to London.

By the Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Company, Limited.—Good demand. Standard Schwartz and Co. made date London, 10th instant. The sales are open with a large attendance of home and foreign buyers. Competition is very animated, and foreign buyers operate freely. Prices, as compared with closing rates of last series, are 20 higher for gray, 32 for secured, and 40 for crossbred.

Total available, 355,000 bales.

At the auctions held in the market competition was not so keen as in the previous sales, and buyers at almost equal to those ruling in the last fortnight sales. The selection, as usual at this time of the year, was very indifferent. Amongst the principal lines sold were:-

Mark.	Bales.	Description.	Price.
H.I. over T.	22	Grey	44
W.M. over M.	11	Ditto	64
Mars. C. diamond	8	Ditto	64
C.S.L. over Glenda	12	Ditto	5
AS.M.	6	Ditto	5
AC.	7	Ditto	5
Half-diamond over B.	over Diamond	4	
J over TC or N in diamond	14	Secured firsts	10
J over TC or N in diamond	6	Scoured thirds	7
JOS.	9	Ditto	64
Lutwyche	7	Ditto	112
O.O.	12	Scoured pieces	94
Towrang	6	Scoured FG	94
Woolton	6	Scoured SK	94
Ditto	6	Scoured SS	7

One vessel only sailed in the week ended on June 16, taking 1462 bales wool, as under:-			
Vessel.	Bales.	Date.	
Sydney (s.s.)	1,482	Brought forward	293,606
Total	294,606		
Add shipments from Newcastle	47,821		
Total from N. S. W. from July 1, 1885, to June 16, 1886	342,427		
Total from N. S. W. from July 1, 1884, to June 16, 1885	290,738		
Increase	51,690		

Arrivals of wool were on a very small scale, amounting to only 100 bales for the week, as against 402 bales for last week, and 626 for corresponding week last year.

STATION, PRODUCE, AND STOCK SALES.

General.—At the end of the week there was brisk competition for dry sheepskins, and prices advanced from a half penny to a penny per pound. From 10d. per pound for half-skin to 1s. per pound for full-skin, and skins also sold freely at a slight improvement on previous rates.

Tallow.—At yesterday's sale 521 packages were offered. Competition was very keen, and the price advanced. Trade does not seem to be the same as last year. The sale was firm, and prices advanced. Quotations: Best beef, 23d. to 22d.; medium, 20d. to 18d.; mutton, 16d. to 15d.; lamb, 12d. to 11d.

Fruit.—At George-street Markets there was a good supply of eatable fruit from Tasmania, Brisbane, and our colony districts. Apples, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; oranges, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; pears, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; peaches, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; plums, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; grapes, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; quinces, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; mandarins, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; lemons, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; passion-fruit, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; oranges, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; grapefruit, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.

Musical INSTRUMENTS.—Good catalogues were submitted to brick competitors at the various auction sales during the week. Large quantities were offered, and the prices were generally 10 to 15 per cent. above those of last year.

Horns and Boxes.—Average quantities of both classical and modern instruments were offered at the late sales. The demand was steady at 7d. to 9d. per lb. for colonial; and finally remained in bladders, 7d. per lb.; in bulk, from 9d. to 11d. per lb.

Honey.—No animation for good and clear at 4d. per lb.; other sorts, from 3d.

Beeswax.—Salable at 9d. to 1s. per lb., according to quality.

Eggs.—Average price 1s. 6d. per dozen.

Leather.—Demand slack for all varieties at 1s. per lb.; leather, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; duck, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; green, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; turkeys, 1s. to 1s. 6d.

Poultry.—Demand slack for all varieties at 1s. per lb.; fowls, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; turkeys, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; geese, 1s. to 1s. 6d.; pigeons, 1s. to 1s. 6d.

The Riverton Meat Company report sales of 800 bales of beef at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 100 bales of mutton at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 100 bales of lamb at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 200 bales of bacon at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 200 bales of ham at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 200 bales of sausages at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 200 bales of ham at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 200 bales of bacon at 2d. to 2d. per lb., 200 bales of sausages at 2d. to 2d. per lb.

Meat.—At the late sales the market was highly supplied with country horses. Inquiry was principally confined to useful light horses. The heavy draught stock was dull of spirit. Quotations: Horses, 2d. to 2s. per cwt.; cattle, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; hounds, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.; dogs, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d.

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Auction Sales.

NEXT MONDAY.

CHOICE SUBDIVISION.

DUXFORD HOUSE AND GROUNDS,

close to GLENMORE-ROAD,

PADDINGTON.

one of the picket houses in the Eastern Suburbs, and well known as the residence of the late JOHN GURNER, Esq., Solicitor.

whose sole remaining executors have been appointed.

B RICHARDSON & WRENCH

will sell the above.

IN SUBDIVISION.

at the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. sharp.

NEXT MONDAY, the 21st day of JUNE,

on the very first floor, via;

20 per cent. cash deposit;

balance by promissory note;

at 6, 12, 18, and 24 months;

with 6 per cent. per annum interest added.

LITHOS. NOW OBTAINABLE.

CARDS to view the house on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

of each week, can also be obtained from the Auctioneers.

We would especially draw the attention of

PROFESSIONAL MEN and MERCHANTS

to this beautifully-situated

FAMILY RESIDENCE.

Large entrance hall, drawing-room, dining-room, with two pantries attached; library, 6 feet deep, dining-room, back-room, and 1 large study. A covered way connects the library and servants' room with the house, whilst separated altogether from the main building is the laundry and two other rooms, located in a separate house; with left over, and a cottage containing 3 rooms, and a veranda, the whole of the buildings are substantially built, with cedar fittings, and the house is well finished throughout.

THE GROUNDS

about acre in extent, well laid out, and containing many well-grown and valuable fruit and other trees, and surrounded in this way by stone walls.

Possession on 1st July.

COMPREHENSIVE Lot 3, section C, with large frontages to both DUXFORD and SUFFOLK STREETS, and having right of entries from a lane.

Lots 6, 7, and 8 front SUFFOLK-street, extending to a lane at the rear.

SECTION A.

No. 1 to 4, each 22 feet frontage to GLENMORE-STREET,

and 12 feet depth to the rear.

No. 5 to 12, each 20 feet frontage to NORFOLK-STREET,

and leading to a lane at the rear.

SECTION B.

No. 1 to 9, fronting GOURNERS-STREET, each 16½ feet up to

the rear, and depth 10 feet to the rear.

No. 10 to 15, fronting SUFFOLK-STREET, each 20 feet up to 22 feet 11 inches, and extending back to a lane.

This subdivision offers a splendid opportunity to CLERKS,

MILLERS, and MECHANICS of acquiring a really good

settling site in a healthy locality, of easy approach, and commanding fine views.

THE PADDINGTON MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

are awarding a large sum of money on the

FORMALITIES OF THE COUNCIL.

MAGNIFICENT ESTATE

sold in March, 1886, and are now erecting

FIRST-CLASS HOUSES

in their aliments. These very desirable improvements are

worthy of the notice of intending purchasers.

Also,

retained from the said subdivision,

Lots 68 and 70, front Oxford-street,

Lots 69 and 81, 40 feet Cambridge-street.

LITHOS. now obtainable.

At the Rooms on application.

MESSRS. ROBBINS and SON, of Castlecragh-street, are

Sellers of the Estate.

(365.)

DUXFORD ESTATE SUBDIVISION,

next Monday, at 11.30 a.m.

DUXFORD ESTATE, PADDINGTON,

next MONDAY, 1st June.

DUXFORD HOUSE AND GROUNDS,

next MONDAY, 1st June.

DUXFORD, 44 SITES,

next MONDAY, 21st June.

DUXFORD ESTATE TERMS

are very liberal.

DUXFORD, NEAR GLENMORE-ROAD,

NEXT MONDAY.

at the Rooms.

DUXFORD LITHOS. ARE OBTAINABLE.

B RICHARDSON and WRENCH

are the Auctioneers.

GLENMORE-ROAD, PADDINGTON.

EXCELENDY VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of LAND,

48 FEET TO GLENMORE-ROAD,

100 FEET TO LIVERPOOL-STREET.

The choice vacant block of building land now obtainable

in this favourite and highly improved road. It is opposite first-class properties, and commands lovely views.

B RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions

to sell at their Rooms, on MONDAY, 21st June

immediately after the sale of Duxford Estate.

The above magnificent corner block, Glenmore-road.

Fees : One-third cash, balance 6 and 12 months at 6 per

per cent. interest.

TO CLOSE A TRUST ESTATE.

BURKE HILLS.

SHOP and DWELLING,

No. 108, RILEY-STREET, east side, a few feet south of

FITTROY-STREET.

B RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions

to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,

FRIDAY, 25th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.

The above 16 feet frontage to Riley-

street, with a depth of 75 feet 3 inches, on which is

erected No. 108, Riley-street; shop and dwelling of brick and stone, with a tiled roof, and containing 2 rooms, and containing private entrance, shop, 4 rooms and kitchen; attached are two weatherboard rooms; water and gas, and a small garden, all connected with sewer.

RENTAL : 22s per week.

Substantially-built business premises, on the heights of Surry

Hills, and surrounded by large trees.

Terms at sale.

NORTH SHORE,

between Milson's Point and Kirribilli.

MERRIMBLEUL, a COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting Captain

Robinson, and adjoining the residence of Captain Robinson, and owned by W. G. Hobey, Esq.

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All the above 16 feet frontage to Riley-

street, with a depth of 75 feet 3 inches, in a

corner block of Land, having frontages to Clapham Rise, and

a small convenience store.

All the above is well convenient, and commands un-

interrupted views of the harbour and city, and is in the imme-

diacy of good properties, including the residence of —

Guy, Esq., W. Fucker, and Mr. Tryon, and others.

Terms of sale.

(164.)

SPLENDID CITY BLOCK.

CASTLEREAGH-STREET, BETWEEN KING and MARKET

STREETS.

TO MERCHANTS, THE LEGAL PROFESSION, MANUFAC-

TURES, and SPECULATORS.

LEASE FOR 21 YEARS.

66 FEET Frontage to KING-STREET, and 100 FEET to MARKET-STREET,

with a great depth of 100 feet, abutting on

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

Building company is only £3000.

To be expended in two years.

It is often that a block of land so centrally situated in a

nearly advanced state of development, on the favourable terms of a 21

year's lease.

B RICHARDSON and WRENCH consider it suitable for a variety of profitable uses,

including this is greatly advantageous to many, that the large

sum total that would be required to purchase it, if offered

FOR FREEHOLD, is not to be sought for, while the term of

lease is 21 years, and when the lessee has paid his premium, he

will be able to secure a very good annual profit from the

rental.

RENTAL REMAINS the same throughout the term, not

withstanding the great enhancement of this position within a few years.

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FRIDAY, 25th June, at 11 o'clock.

The above allotment of land, having the following frontages,

60 FEET to PARLIAMENT-STREET, and 99 FEET 6 INCHES to QUEEN-STREET.

The above valuable corner block is admirably adapted for the

creation of business premises, and is within a few minutes'

walk of the Petersham Railway Station.

TERMS AT SALE.

By order of the Mortgagor.

WALLOTT.

Soon to be connected by train.

CORNER BLOCK of LAND.

Having 56 feet frontage to Warrens-street, and 165ft. to Namol-st.

B RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public

auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th July,

at 11.30 a.m. sharp.

The above valuable block of land, situated in the vicinity of the

Petersham Railway Station.

Plan on view. This, TORRENS' ACT.

(476.)

DUXFORD ESTATE.—SALE next MONDAY, at

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By Order of the EXECUTORS of the Estate of the late

C. M. EVANS, Esq.,

RILEY-STREET, SURRY HILLS,

adjoining the Young Australian Hotel, corner of Albion-street.

CAPITAL OPPORTUNITY to SECURE a CHEAP

FREEHOLD CITY PROPERTY.

That Central block of Land having a frontage

of 60 feet 11 inches to RILEY-STREET

and 97 feet to private passage.

On which is erected a

THE RILEY-HOUSE,

No. 309 to 315, Riley-street,

with 8 Dwellings under.

The above described Premises are

now being condemned, but the other

eight are let at 10 per cent. each to

THE RILEY-HOUSES,

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Auction Sales.

THIS AFTERNOON, SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.

WATERLOO FREEHOLDS.

BOTANY-ROAD FRONTAGES.

FRONTAGES of 18 and 30 FEET

to

BOTANY-ROAD JOHN-STREET, and

BOTANY-STREET.

STREETS KERBED and GUTTERED.

BACK ENTRANCES, GOOD DRAINAGE.

10 per cent. DEPOSIT. 8 YEARS' TERMS.

LIBERAL ASSISTANCE TO BUILD.

GAS and WATER laid on.

BUS and TRAM past the property.

BUSINESS SITES.

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BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, on the Ground,

THIS AFTERNOON, SATURDAY, 19TH JUNE, at 3 p.m.

Valuable block of land, on the main BOTANY-ROAD, having frontages to that road, BOTANY and JOHN STREETS, and surrounded by BUSINESS PREMISES.

The TITLE is FREEHOLD,

and the TERMS most LIBERAL,

viz.,

10 per cent. deposit, balance by quarterly payments, extending over 5 years, at 6 per cent.

SOLICITORS to the Estate.—Messrs. SPAIN and MOORE, Exchange.

SHOPKEEPERS and all dealers of securing FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS POSITIONS in this rapidly-improving locality should not neglect this chance, as these sites are the ONLY OBTAINABLE MAIN ROAD FRONTAGES in the TOWNSHIP.

Sale, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3.

After Sale of WATERLOO TOWNSHIP.

THIS AFTERNOON.

The PREMIER available BUSINESS POSITION, the Corner of BOTANY-ROAD and BUCKLAND-STREET, opposite THE CAULIFLOWER HOTEL.

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BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 22nd JUNE, at 11 a.m.

Those 3 new and substantial SHOPS and Premises situated in the BURWOOD-ROAD, between the CONGRGATIONAL CHURCH and GEORGE-STREET, opposite the Freemasons' Hotel, composed of brick on stone, in an EXCELLENTLY POSITIONED and LIBERAL MANNER, with every improvement and convenience,

LARGE SITE, 20 x 17, with handsome front and wide wings, dining, drawing room, 12 ft. 6 in., 5 good bedrooms, kitchen, back verandah, tank, &c.; gas laid on.

The LAND has about 55 feet frontage to BURWOOD-ROAD, about 74 feet in depth to a reserved LANE at rear.

NUMEROUS INQUIRIES have been made to rent the premises, but the Vendor prefers to keep them empty for purposes of INSPECTION BY INTENDING PURCHASERS.

The TITLE is TORRENS' ACT.

CARDS to VIEW and further particulars may be obtained from the Auctioneers.

SUBDIVISION BLOCK, NORTH RYDE.

VALUABLE BLOCK of about 10 ACRES, formerly part of KENTWELL-ESTATE, now forming frontage to the LANE COVE-ROAD, and about 72 feet frontage to TRIVETT'S-ROAD, right opposite Mr. COX'S Property; together with the 3 smaller lots Cottages situated on the Lane Cove-Road, with good ORANGE and about 250 other FRUIT TREES, comprising the Apple, Pear, Plum, and Peach.

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TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

HOUSES and LAND for AUCTION SALES.

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The following properties, on TUESDAY, 22nd JUNE, at 11 a.m.

Two large SHOPS and DWELLINGS, ENMORE.

Situate corner ENMORE-ROAD and MARION-STREET, each containing large SHOP, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, &c. City water and gas.

Six-roomed RESIDENCE and LAND, CROYDON.

Situate in EDWIN-STREET, one minute from station, containing tiled hall, dining, drawing, and 5 bed-rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, washhouse, cellar, balconies, &c., folding doors, bay window. Land, 85 x 130. TORRENS' title. Easy terms.

LAND—10-ACRE BLOCK, NORTH RYDE.

Situate corner LANE COVE and TRIVETT'S ROADS, to which it has respectively 8 and 12 CHAINS frontage, and opposite Mr. Cox's residence, known portion of KENTWELL-ESTATE. Improvements consist of 5-roomed COTTAGE, built with wood and ORANGE and about 300 other fruit trees, comprising the Apple, Pear, Plum, and Peach.

Three first-class SHOPS and DWELLINGS, BURWOOD.

Situate one door from George-street, within 50 yards of station, containing each large shop 20 x 17, with handsome front and wide awnings; dining-rooms, 17 x 12 ft. 6 in., 5 good bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, &c.; folding doors, city water, and gas. Land, 40 x 120. Title, TORRENS' ACT. Easy terms.

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Cards to view, and all particulars, from **BATT, RODD, and PURVES**, 88, Pitt-street.

PRE-LIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

WATERLOO FREEHOLDS,

the Project of the

NATIONAL PERMANENT BENEFIT, LAND, and BUILDING SOCIETY and SAVINGS BANK, Office, 35, Park-street.

JAS. A. TODD, Manager.

This choice property, comprising an area of about 9 ACRES, situated on the LANE COVE-ROAD, and opposite the BEACONFIELD ESTATE.

now in course of subdivision by the Society's Licensed Surveyor, Mr. J. H. LAYCOCK, 375, George-street.

BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the DIRECTORS of the Society to sell by public auction, on the ground, on SATURDAY, 19th JULY,

the SALISBURY ESTATE, WATERLOO,

on the SOCIETY'S LIBERAL TERMS,

Its deposit per lot, balance by monthly instalments of £1 2s 6d per £100, carrying interest at only 6 per cent., with

LIBERAL ASSISTANCE to BUILD.

The TITLE will be TORRENS' ACT.

NOTE.—THIS SALE is worth WAITING FOR.

PRELIMINARY.
By order of the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late W. G. MOORE, Esq.

Valuable Properties in the Business Centre of NEWTON-X-STREET and CAMPBELL-STREET.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the Trustee to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 18th JULY, at 3 p.m.

1st. Valuable Block of Land, having about 40 feet frontage to CAMPBELL-STREET, and about 100 feet depth to KING-STREET, which stand the following premises:—2 HOUSES, Nos. 33 and 34, King-street, both built, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, hall, and 2 rooms in basement, front door, balcony and balcony, 2 HOMES, each built, each containing hall, 6 rooms, balcony, verandah, &c.

2nd. Valuable Block, having about 80 feet frontage to KING-STREET, similar frontage to CAMPBELL-STREET, 100 feet depth, on which are erected:—2 HOUSES, 15 ft. deep, 15 feet front, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, hall, 2 attics, verandah, &c.

3rd. Valuable Block, having about 80 feet frontage to KING-STREET, 100 feet depth, on which are erected:—2 HOUSES, 15 ft. deep, 15 feet front, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, hall, 2 attics, verandah, &c.

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Auction Sales.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 100, PITT-STREET.
MONDAY, JUNE 21, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED TRADE SALE BY AUCTION OF MAGNIFICENT DIAMOND JEWELLERY, GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, &c., &c.
By R.M.S. GARONNE, has arrived from London.

Instructions from one of the leading London Firms.

The COLLECTION comprises various ARTICLES DE LUXE, enriched with Diamonds, Rubies, Sapphires, Emeralds, Pearls, Grand Opals, Amethysts, Topaz, &c., &c.

These ELABORATE SPECIMENS of BIJOUTERIE are of the MOST ELEGANT CHARACTER, and every LINE suitable for personal adornment, viz.—

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EXTREMELY BEAUTIFUL DIAMOND CATS-EYE and DIAMOND BRACELETS

Brilliant "Couch" and Tortoiseshell Hair Pins

Brilliant Diamond GIPSY RINGS and BRACELETS

SINGLED-STONE BRILLIANT MOURNING RINGS

Half-Moon Rings, in the Brillants

QUADRUPLE DIAMOND SCARF PINS and RINGS

SCARF PIN, DIAMOND SCARF PIN or BROOCH

BRILLIANT and SAPPHIRE Marquise Rings

BRILLIANT LORETTES, Crosses, and Brooches, mounted with

and stones

HALF-HALL Buttons of novel character

WHITE and SILVER LETTER-Holders, full jewelled

GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, &c., &c.

Very attractive collection of Gold and Silver

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Very Good Hunters, gold joints, 8 holes

in the Calendar, Watch, 16 lines

Hunters, 18-carat, Keyless Gold Watch, crystal glass, &

the Panel Case and Watch Keys, &c.

Also,

An assortment of JEWEL CASES, in velvet, satin, and plush, for rings, earrings, &c.

To Diamond Merchants, Jewelers, Pawnbrokers, Private Gentlemen, Connoisseurs, Speculators, Country Buyers, and the élite of the colony.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from the conduits (a leading London firm), to arrange the above MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION of JEWELLERY, WATCHES, &c., &c., for AUCTION, on MONDAY, JUNE 21, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS ALAIS AT SALE.

On view Morning of Sale.

TUESDAY, June 22, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Wynnstay, from Antwerp.

1000 Barrels LOTHIAN PORTLAND CEMENT.

Portion of Bulk may be inspected Central Wharf, Sample at the Rooms.

This Cement is fine-ground than its competitor, only 124 per cent, remaining on a sieve having 5000 meshes to the square inch, and only 26.56 per cent. on a sieve of 15,000 meshes per square inch.

It has the slightest tendency to cake in the sacks.

It has a tensile strength after 7 days of 1250 lb. to the square inch, and after 28 days of 2050 lb. per square inch, when mixed with three parts of sand.

There are NO SYMPTOMS OF BLOWING after immersion in water 24 hours, and the colour is exceptionally good.

It has passed the most rigid N.W.S. GOVERNMENT TEST.

To Builders, Contractors, Cement Merchants, Shippers, &c.

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FIFTH POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM AGENTS.

WARES (each 16lb.) HEUMAN'S STARCH (Eagle Brand).

The Agents of the abovementioned famous brand of Starch are instructed to push this same into general consumption, and the undersigned sales by auction are arranged for. The trade is informed that this parcel will be sold without reserve, in lots to suit purchasers.

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50 BOXES BRANDON'S 8-MEDAL CANDLES.

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By Various Framers, Carvers, Gilders, Decorators, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

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